- 3. Program Plan: The feasibility and appropriateness of the applicant's action plan to identify immunization issues and new developments (e.g., new recommendations), communicate with, and reach, targeted populations, translate technical immunization information into appropriate new formats, develop and disseminate effective immunization materials and information, and establish and implement a national immunization information sharing/dissemination network. (30 points)
- 4. Coordination and collaboration:
 The extent to which the applicant proposes to develop and maintain a National Immunization Coalition and Information Network, and coordinate the activities of that coalition with State and local immunization programs, State and local coalitions, provider organizations, and other appropriate agencies. (20 points)
- 5. Evaluation Plan: The extent to which the applicant proposes to evaluate the proposed plan, including impact and process evaluation, as well as quantitative and qualitative measures for achievement of program objectives, determining the health effect on the population, and monitoring the implementation of proposed activities. (10 points)
- 6. Budget and Justification: The extent to which the proposed budget is adequately justified, reasonable, and consistent with proposed project activities and this program announcement. (Not Scored)

H. Other Requirements

Technical Reporting Requirements

Provide CDC with the original plus two copies of:

- 1. Progress reports (annual, semiannual, or quarterly);
- 2. Financial status report, no more than 90 days after the end of the budget period;
- 3. Final financial report and performance report, no more than 90 days after the end of the project period.

Send all reports to the Grants Management Specialist identified in the "Where to Obtain Additional Information" section of this announcement.

The following additional requirements are applicable to this program. For a complete description of each, see Appendix II in the application kit.

AR98-10—Smoke-Free Workplace

AR98–11—Healthy People 2000

AR98-12-Lobbying Restriction

AR98–14—Accounting System Requirements

AR98–15—Proof of Non-Profit Status AR98–20—Conference Support

I. Authority and Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number

This program is authorized under section 311 [42 U.S.C. 243] and 317(k)(2), [42 U.S.C. 247b(k)(2)] of the Public Health Service Act as amended. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number is 93.185.

J. Where To Obtain Additional Information

This and other CDC announcements and application forms may be downloaded from the CDC Internet home page—http://www.cdc.gov. Click on "funding."

Interested parties without Internet access may request an application kit by calling 1–888–GRANTS4 (1–888–472–6874). You will be asked to leave your name and address and will be instructed to identify the Announcement number of interest.

If you have questions after reviewing the contents of all the documents, business management technical assistance may be obtained from:
Sharron Orum, Grants Management Specialist, Grants Management Branch, Procurement and Grants Office, Announcement 00009, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), 2920 Brandywine Road, Room 3000, Atlanta, Georgia 30341, Telephone (770) 488–2716; FAX (770) 488–2777); E-mail address: spo2@cdc.gov.

For program technical assistance, contact: Glen Nowak, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), 1600 Clifton Road, Mailstop E–05, Atlanta, Georgia 30333, Telephone (404) 639–8200; FAX (404) 639–8626, E-mail address: gjn0@cdc.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

President's Committee on Mental Retardation; Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: President's Committee on Mental Retardation, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

DATES: The meeting of the President's Committee on Mental Retardation will be held on Tuesday, November 30, 1999, from 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 1, 1999, from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m, and Thursday, December 2, 1999, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in the Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20001. Full Committee Meetings are open to the public. An interpreter for the deaf will be available upon advance request. All meeting sites are barrier free.

AGENDA: The Committee plans to discuss critical issues concerning Federal Policy, Federal Research and Demonstration, State Policy Collaboration, Minority and Cultural Diversity and Mission and Public Awareness, relating to individuals with mental retardation.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jane L. Browning, Executive Director, President's Committee on Mental Retardation, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW, Washington, DC 20447, (202) 619–0634.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The PCMR acts in an advisory capacity to the President and the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services on a broad range of topics relating to programs, services, and supports for persons with mental retardation. The Committee, by Executive Order, is responsible for evaluating the adequacy of current practices in programs and supports for persons with mental retardation, and for reviewing legislative proposals that impact the quality of life that is experienced by citizens with mental retardation and their families.

Dated: October 26, 1999.

Jane L. Browning,

Executive Director, PCMR.

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